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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Junko YAMAMOTO et al.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Advisory Action dated December 31, 2002, the due date for response having been extended two (2) months to Sunday, February 16, 2003, by petition herein, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 22, 25, 29, 33, and 36 without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter recited therein.